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TAGS: PINT, SF (TRANSKEI)

SUBJ: TRANSKEI REPRESENTATIVE'S ACTIVITIES IN
WASHINGTON

REF: PRETORIA 3372

1. ACCORDING TO JULY 23 PRESS REPORT FROM WASHINGTON
BY GUY BERNARD HEADLINED" TRANSKEI'S AGENT RECOGNIZED",
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE ANNOUNCED JULY 22 THAT LESLIE
MASIMINI, TRANSKEI " MINISTER AT LARGE" HAS BEEN
REGISTERED AS A FOREIGN AGENT IN WASHINGTON. ACCORDING
TO THE ARTICLE, MASIMINI HAS BEEN IN THE U.S. FOR THE
LAST MONTH AND HAS BEEN DOING " DIPLOMATIC WORK FOR
TRANSKEI." HE WAS QUOTED AS SAYING " I AM GOING TO MAKE
ALL SORTS OF CONTACT. PRIMARILY WE HAVE TO TALK TO
LAWMAKERS AND ALSO TRY TO LOBBY THE AMERICAN PEOPLE
FOR SUPPORT IN GETTING THE US GOVERNMENT TO
RECOGNIZE THE TRANSKEI." THE ARTICLE SAID HE HAD
ALREADY MADE CONTACT WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT,
SEVERAL SENATORS AND CONGRESSMEN, AND MANY AFRICAN
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AMBASSADORS TO WASHINGTON.

2. COMMENT: WE HAVE RECEIVED SOME PRESS INQUIRIES
AS TO MASIMINI'S STATUS IN THE US. WOULD APPRECIATE
CONFIRMATION THAT HE HAS IN FACT REGISTERED UNDER
THE FOREIGN AGENTS REGISTRATION ACT AND GUIDANCE
AS TO HOW TO REPLY TO PUBLIC INQUIRIES. BOWDLER

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